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SECOND INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the document listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. A copy of the listed document is also enclosed.

REMARKS

The following documents were cited in the International Preliminary Report of Patentability of the international application corresponding to the above-referenced national phase application:

- (1) EP 1 085 515 A;
- (2) WO 02/056587 A; and
- (3) US 2003/133695 A1.

Documents (1) through (3) were cited in the July 22, 2005 Information Disclosure Statement.

The International Preliminary Report of Patentability is dated December 19, 2005, and the attached Notification is dated January 5, 2006. A copy of the International Preliminary Report of Patentability (with Notification) is also enclosed.

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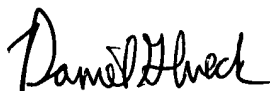
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CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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